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Applicant: ANDREW SAMWAYS

Serial No.: 10/024,573 Group Art Unit: 1723

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Title: CENTRIFUGAL LIQUID CLEANING ARRANGEMENT

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114

a. Previously submittedi. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on _ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _iii. Other _b. Enclosedi. Amendment/Replyii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)iv. Other

2. Miscellaneous

a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _ months (not to exceed three months). The required fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) is included in Section 3. a. iii. below.b. Other

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3. Fees

a. The following fees are included in the payment indicated below:

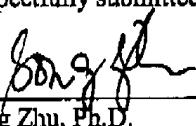
- i. RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) (\$750.00)
- ii. Extension of time fee required under 37 CFR 1.136 & 1.17
- iii. Other _____

b. Payment:

- i. A check in the amount of _____ is enclosed
- ii. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the \$750.00 RCE fee listed above in Section 3 a i-iii to the Deposit Account of Crowell & Moring, L.L.P., Account No. 05-1323 (Docket No. 178/50688) (*authorization for payment of extension fee given in attached Reply*)
- iii. If a check should become detached or if there is any deficiency in fees, any necessary fees should be charged, or any overpayment in fees should be credited, to the Deposit Account of Crowell & Moring, L.L.P., Account No. 05-1323 (Docket No. 178/50688).

Respectfully submitted,

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